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Dear Families,

My name is Elaina Avalos. I am the Family Readiness Officer (FRO) for Marine Unmanned Aerial Vehicle Squadron 1. On behalf of the Commanding Officer, I would like to welcome you and your family to VMU-1!

The Marine Corps has defined family as one a Marine is born into, sworn into and marries into. General James T. Conway, our 34th Commandant, stated that "Marines make an endearing commitment to the Corps," and we in turn make an "endearing commitment" to every Marine and his or her family.

Whether you are married or single, the Marine Corps and VMU-1's commitment to you remains the same - we are here for your family - whether it's the one you are born into, sworn into or marry into.

As the squadron's FRO, I am the primary communication link between you and the command. In addition, I am here for any information and referral services that you may need. There are so many great resources available to you and your family aboard the base or in the local community, so please do not hesitate to reach out for assistance should it become necessary.

I encourage you to become an active part of the unit while you are here in 29 Palms! Your involvement and feedback is so important to us.

Please feel free to call or email me with any questions you may have. Whether you need assistance with settling into the area, deployment related issues, classes that are offered on base or any other needs that you may have, don't hesitate to call or e-mail.

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I look forward to meeting you and your family! Please let me know if there is anything I can do for you!

Sincerely,

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